

ARIZONA FEARS MEXICAN RAID

Officers Believe Carrancistas May Make Foray in Santa Cruz Valley.

Nogales, Ariz., June 21.—Coinciding with reports that several thousand Mexican cavalry had been massed in a position to threaten the Santa Cruz valley, wives of American army officers attached to 1500 regulars here prepared today to leave for northern points.

Army officers in Nogales, in no way alarmed by the situation, are preparing to cope with a Mexican cavalry raid up the Santa Cruz valley between Nogales and Tucson. If a break should come, it is pointed out that all Sonora faces starvation if the border remains closed to food supplies, and that a foray into this section, which is rich in horses, forage and food supplies, would be the logical sequence of events. Prevention of such a raid would be difficult.

Gen. Gomez, now at Fronteras with several thousand cavalry prospectively would lead any raid into the Santa Cruz valley, crossing the border at Zorrilla, 35 miles east, and entering the valley through the San Antonio pass. It is reported here and believed that Gen. Estrada is on his way from Sinaloa to Magdalena, 54 miles south of the border to be the headquarters of Gen. P. Elias Calleja.

GENERAL TROOP MOVEMENT TO BORDER REPORTED IN SONORA

Douglas, Ariz., June 21.—A general movement of Carranza troops toward the border from interior Sonora garrisons was reported today. Refugees arriving from the south tell of troop movements along the right of way of the Nacozari railroad. A cavalry advance guard of 250 had reached Chihuahua, 22 miles south, they said. This, with the exception of a small garrison ordinarily maintained in Agua Prieta, is the farthest north Mexican soldiers have come in eight weeks, it is stated. At the same time all of the troops which have been stationed in Chihuahua, 25 miles south of Douglas, were reported to have moved north six miles, to Fronteras, where the infantry concentration camp of the Calles forces is located.

It is estimated that there are approximately 2500 men at Fronteras at the present time. Reports from Nacozari stated that 1500 civilian volunteers were organizing to join the army at Fronteras in the event of the outbreak of war, while many civilians from Cupira, Moctezuma and other towns south of Nacozari are prepared to march north in case they are needed.

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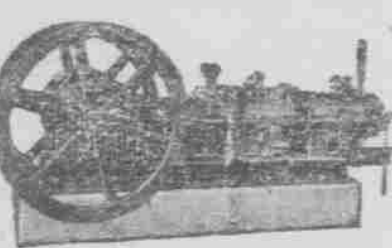
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DROP CHARGES AGAINST GERMAN

Man Held by El Paso Secret Service Is Ordered Given Liberty.

Washington, D. C., June 21.—Chief Biechacki, of the department of justice's bureau of investigation, today telegraphed his El Paso agent to drop charges against Frederick Griese, a German banker of Mexico, detained here yesterday for an alleged attempt to violate American neutrality. Investigation convinced officials here that there had been no violation.

Griese was suspected by department agents of taking a leading part in anti-American propaganda in Mexico and was arrested as he was preparing to cross the border. No evidence was discovered on which he could be held.

FREDERICK GRIESE RELEASED BY UNITED STATES OFFICERS

Frederick Griese, German banker of Mexico City, detained here by department of justice agents on the suspicion that he had violated American neutrality, was released Wednesday on receipt of orders from Washington after a conference with Max Weber, German consul in Juarez.

It was stated that Griese was first detained because he had uttered strong anti-American sentiments and had sent several code messages to officials in Mexico City.

Griese was taken into custody Tuesday by officers of the department of justice and held in the federal building. It was said the German was going to San Antonio. Consul Weber said that Griese had formerly been employed by him as a clerk, and later had been connected with the German South American bank in Mexico City.

SECURITY LEAGUE CALLS MEETING; FLIERS CALLED HOME

New York, June 21.—The Mexican situation, the calling out of the national guard and the action of congress on the army bill are given as reasons in the announcement sent out by the National Security League inviting all preparedness organizations in the United States to send representatives to a national meeting in this city June 27.

The Aero Club of America has invited all American aviators serving in Europe under the colors of France to return to this country for service in the event of war with Mexico.

GEN. VILJOEN OFFERS HIS SERVICES TO N. M. GUARD

Santa Fe, N. M., June 21.—Adlt. Gen. Henry T. Herring, who is here from the front, has received a letter from Gen. H. J. Viljoen, the Boer commander, who has a ranch at La Mesa, Dona Ana county, but has been near Los Alamos the past few months, tendering his services to the national guard. Gen. Viljoen's only son, Eugene, is with Gen. Pershing in Mexico, and his nephew, Ernest VanDyke, is in active service in the Big Bend country, with company K of the Texas national guard. Gen. Viljoen in 1911 applied for Mexican citizenship papers.

NO CARAS YET CARRANZA SAYS

Another Punitive Expedition Will Bring a Clash, He Asserts.

There will be no war between the United States and Mexico unless the United States sends further punitive expeditions into that country, according to a telegram Tuesday afternoon to Mexico from Gen. Carranza. The telegram was made by Gen. Carranza to the thousands of citizens who paraded the streets of Mexico City Monday and gathered in the plaza to tender their services to the first chief in defense of their country.

The telegram said Carranza had received a large number of messages from all parts of the country, assuring him of united opposition to invasion. No molestation of foreigners during the Mexico City demonstration was reported.

Official notice has been issued, according to consul Garcia's message, saying that any foreigner acquiring real estate by purchase or contract, must renounce his rights and allegiance to his native country and register as a citizen of Mexico.

A mysterious fire in the national palace Monday destroyed old archives of great historical value.

CAME TO THE BORDER TO BE EXCITED, NOT DISAPPOINTED

Says the Grand Rapids Press: After a trip to the Texas-Mexico border, P. Quintance, traveling passenger agent of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railway company, is convinced that Mexican promises a climate and other things many degrees more to his liking.

Mr. Quintance has just returned from the big state, where he went on official railroad business. He made his headquarters at Dallas while in Texas but journeyed to the border for excitement which newspapers had led him to believe existed there.

The paper did not let him in, either, asserted Mr. Quintance. "There's plenty of excitement there, I didn't see anything very startling, but I felt the excitement of it was in the air and it grips one with such a tense feeling that he finds himself walking on his toes and with his hair straight up on end most of the time."

Mr. Quintance didn't cross into Mexico. There was a long line of grim-faced, olive drab-clad boys with brass knives and he is just as satisfied that his feet failed to tread Mexican dust.

Mr. Quintance saw a number of "gringos" on the Texas side of the border. "They were not very inviting customers, either," he said. "Every one in a while I found myself feeling of my back to make sure there were no knives sticking there. There was something reassuring, though, about the fact that for every Mexican I saw walking about, two or three Yankee soldiers with keen eyes and very businesslike guns would be at no great distance."

"Texans seem convinced that Villa will be caught or killed, providing the Mexican troops, who are now in the act of making a drive on him, said Mr. Quintance. "I know one thing and that is that the bandit leader would fare better without food or water. He is at the hands of a body of Texans."

REPUTABLE AMMUNITION MEN BAN SALE TO MEXICANS

All the reputable ammunition dealers in El Paso have issued strict instructions to their salesmen not to permit the sale of ammunition to suspicious people of any character. The sale of all ammunition to Mexicans or to any person suspected of buying it for the purpose of smuggling it to Mexico, has been voluntarily banned by the dealers so that none of it that might possibly be used against American troops now or in the future, can find its way into Mexico.

The ban on the sale of ammunition has never been so rigid in El Paso as now. Those who are not voluntarily taken this action, without any suggestion from the American authorities, because they learned that ammunition smugglers are making efforts to buy supplies on this side of the line for smuggling into Mexico.

Missouri Captain Has 12 Baptist Preachers In His Company of 65

Nevada, Mo., June 21.—Capt. William H. Hardin, of company H, Third Infantry, Missouri national guard, who has detained his company today, reported that of his 65 men, 12 were ordained Baptist ministers. It is expected that 5000 men will be in camp before morning.

PITTSBURG WILL FEED ALL SOLDIERS PASSING THROUGH

Pittsburg, Pa., June 21.—Pittsburg will follow the precedent established in the civil war and feed all soldiers passing through this city. The Pittsburg chapter of the Woman's Division for Preparedness will have the work in charge and the city council has agreed to pay all expenses.

COLORADO COMPANY WILL GIVE MILITARY HALF PAY

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vice with the national guard will be given their old pay back upon their return, or will be given position equally as good. In the case of married men, the company will continue them upon half pay.

WISCONSIN GUARD WILL BE IN CAMP THURSDAY

Madison, Wis., June 21.—The Wisconsin national guard at Camp Douglas are virtually complete. Adt. Gen. Orlando Holway will go to Camp Douglas tonight to take active charge of the guard on its arrival tomorrow.

FOURTH NEBRASKA INFANTRY READY FOR MOBILIZATION

Omaha, Neb., June 21.—The Fourth Infantry, Nebraska national guard, was ready for mobilization today, every company having reported the required strength.

MISSOURI MILITIA GATHERS

Nevada, Mo., June 21.—Missouri's national guard began arriving at the state mobilization camp here today.

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PEACE PRESSURE POPS IN CARRANZA

Entente Allies in Europe Exert Influence to Avert U. S.-Mexico War.

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For these the war department was getting ready to act on Gen. Funston's request for immediate dispatch of a number of national guards units to the border. It was said secretary Baker and president Wilson probably would determine what organizations should be sent.

American Plan of Campaign.

Great interest was expressed in the probable course to be followed by the Mexicans attack the American column. It was regarded as probable that a general rapid advance would be ordered from the border to a line perhaps 100 or more miles south of the border. This line then would be fortified and held until volunteer reinforcements became available. Thus fighting would be thrown into the enemy's territory and the border protected against further bandit attacks by thorough policing of the country behind the main line.

A special train bearing several hundred American refugees from Mexico City to Veracruz was to leave Mexico City today according to word from special agent Rodgers at the Mexican capital.

Another message from Mr. Rodgers said a train leaving Mexico City Tuesday carried a special car with 30 American citizens, mostly women. The refugees should be in Veracruz by today unless the car was detained.

Tension at High Pitch.

A number of dispatches were received today from consular officers and agents throughout Mexico. They agreed that the tension everywhere was keyed to a high pitch, but that no disturbances to Americans had occurred.

Consul Guyant at Progreso, Mex., reported there was no truth in the rumor that Gen. Alvarado had declared war against the United States.

MEXICO PUTS HER CASE BEFORE EUROPEAN POWERS

Paris, France, June 21.—Mexico is placing her case before the European public in the form of statements issued by Mexican legations on the continent. Such a statement appeared in Madrid on Monday and a similar statement is printed in the French press today from the Mexican legation in Paris. It says the report that war is inevitable and that Gen. Carranza's attitude is the cause is due to intrigue from American sources.

The statement reviews the negotiations for permission for American troops to cross the frontier to pursue bandits and declares that the intervention of American troops is a violation of an expeditionary corps, constituting a violation of Mexican sovereignty.

SPAIN'S POSITION IN CASE OF MEXICAN WAR DIFFICULT

Madrid, Spain, June 21.—The Journal Imparcial says the situation of Spain in the case of war between the United States and Mexico would be very difficult, for despite her racial ties with Mexico, Spain has recently received numerous evidences of sympathy from United States residents and also from Spanish residents of Mexico were recently made the object of unjust treatment.

FORMER VILLISTAS RALLY TO CARRANZA'S STANDARD

Chihuahua, Mex., June 21.—(via El Paso Junction, June 21.)—The rallying of the various factional leaders with the government continues. Today Gen. Salazar wired Gen. Trevino that Manuel Palaez, ex-Villista general, now operating in the Huamantla, had placed himself at the disposal of Gen. Carranza. Jose Ysabel Robles and Canute Reyes are expected in Chihuahua shortly, bringing their forces, under orders from Gen. Trevino. All is quiet here.

L. DURAN UNDER CHARGE OF RECRUITING FOR CARRANZA

Accused of attempting to enlist Mexicans in El Paso for service in the Carranza army, L. Duran was arrested at Seventh and El Paso streets Thursday night and is being held for investigation by military officers. Under orders from Gen. Trevino, he is said to be a commissioned officer in the Carranza army, have been working among people in El Paso to get them to enlist, it is reported.

SAYS TELEGRAPH OPERATORS NOT NEEDED IN WARFARE

New York, June 21.—In a letter to a recruiting officer for the Plattburgh military training camp, Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Telegraph-Cable company, declares that from a national point of view, it is a mistake for telegraph companies to have its operators prepare for, and enlist in the regular army, instead of serving the country in the capacity for which they are peculiarly fitted. The company had been asked to grant to some of its operators a four weeks leave of absence to attend the Plattburgh camps.

GUARDING PANAMA LOCKS.

Panama, June 21.—The locks of the Panama canal are being guarded with increased vigilance as a result of the Mexican situation.

GREET IS SUED FOR \$10,000

Rooming House Proprietor Claims the Police Captain Falsely Accused Her.

Alleging that she was falsely accused of conspiracy to harbor Mexican murderers and falsely imprisoned, Mrs. Angie Williams, a rooming house keeper, filed suit in the 41st district court Wednesday morning against W. D. Greet, captain of police, for \$10,000 damages.

In her petition she states that she conducts rooming houses at 718 North El Paso street, and at 816 and 614 Mesa avenue, the last named being known as the Lakota. On April 6, she states, two police officers came to her at 816 Mesa avenue and informed her that Capt. Greet was at 718 North El Paso street and desired to see her. She accompanied the officers to the place, she says, and found a crowd gathered in front.

Met By Greet.

She was met on the front steps by Capt. Greet, who asked her "in a loud tone" whether she was not Mrs. Williams and whether she operated the rooming house. She replied in the affirmative, "whereupon," she alleges, "the defendant, W. D. Greet, in a loud and insulting tone of voice, told the plaintiff not to lie to him and advised the plaintiff not to try to furnish an alibi, charging the plaintiff with having harbored a man by the name of Sangu, a Mexican murderer, in her house." She was thereby insulted and humiliated in the presence of the crowd, she alleges. "Greet," she further alleges, "then directed the officers to put her in an automobile, with the rest of the Mexican murderers, stating that there is where she belongs, such a thing as she is." She was then taken to the police station, where she was held one hour, she says.

"Entered Conspiracy."

Greet, she further alleges, "charged her with entering into a conspiracy to harbor Mexican murderers, and further advised her, 'that she would be advertised in all the papers and people would know what kind of a thing she was, and that she would be prosecuted, stating that plaintiff would get all the notoriety she wanted, and then directed the officers to place plaintiff in jail where she belonged.' She was then conducted to the county jail, she alleges, and kept there until 11 p. m., when she was released by Capt. Hall, of the police department.

Mrs. Williams alleges that Greet did not procure a warrant for her arrest. She denies that she entered into any conspiracy to harbor Mexican murderers or others, and was guilty of none of the things imputed by Greet; and she asks \$5000 actual and \$5000 exemplary damages.

20 TRUCK DRIVERS ARRIVE TO DRIVE MOTOR TRUCK TRAIN

Twenty civilian truck drivers arrived here from different cities of Wisconsin Wednesday morning and will serve as truck drivers for the new truck train which will be attached to Gen. Bell's patrol district. This truck train of 27 motor trucks is expected to arrive here from the factory soon. They are all four wheel drive trucks and will be used on the border here.

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